

PATENT

DOCKET NO. 2002.02.004.NS0 Client No. SAMS01-00188 Customer No. 23990

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

David Allan Collins

U.S. Serial No.

: 10/038,872

Filed

: December 31, 2001

For

DISTRIBUTED IDENTITY SERVER FOR USE IN A TELE-

COMMUNICATION SWITCH

Group No.

2684

Examiner

Angelica Perez

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2005. The response period is presently set to expire on March 1, 2006, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be April 1, 2006.

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A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the one (1) month extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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